House Amendment 8536

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         Amend House File 2578 as follows:
         #1. Page 20, by inserting after line 27, the
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   3 following:
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            _. Section 8D.13, subsection 12, Code
     Supplement 2003, is amended to read as follows:
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         12. The commission, on its own or as recommended
   7 by an advisory committee of the commission and
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   8 approved by the commission, shall permit a fee to be
1 9 charged by a receiving site to the originator of the 1 10 communication provided on the network. The fee
1 11 charged shall be for the purpose of recovering the
1 12 operating costs of a receiving site. The fee charged
  13 shall be reduced by an amount received by the
1 14 receiving site pursuant to a state appropriation for
1 15 such costs, or federal assistance received for such
  16 costs. Fees established under this subsection shall
  17 be paid by the originator of the communication
1 18 directly to the receiving site. <u>In the event that an</u> 1 19 entity requests a receiving site location in a video
  20 classroom facility which is authorized by, but not
  21 funded by, the originator of the communication, the
  22 requesting entity shall be directly billed by the
  23 video classroom facility for operating costs relating 24 to the communication. For purposes of this section,
1 25 "operating costs" include the costs associated with
1 26 the management or coordination, operations, utilities,
  27 classroom, equipment, maintenance, and other costs
1 28 directly related to providing the receiving site.>
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         #2. By renumbering as necessary.
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